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BREAKFAST.

How to Get Up an Inviting Repast—Hints for Fish Cooks.

It is quite surprising to find, when you give a little time and attention to the art of cooking, what delicious dishes can be made out of mere scraps.

Any article of food, however costly, can be rendered almost unobtainable by the want of care in the cooking; and almost any article, however common, may be made into quite a dainty by simply taking pains. Of nothing else

can be made more truly said than of fish. Cook it badly, and it is one of the most tasteless, disagreeable things that can be placed upon a table, quite sufficient to spoil any one's temper, as well as his digestion; but cook it well, and it becomes one of the daintiest dishes imaginable.

I often think if mothers and daughters would pay a little more attention to the contents of the table, how much happier some homes would be! Breakfast, in my estimation, is really the most important meal in the day—important, I mean, as regards its effect upon the system, and the hours which are all called upon to labor in some way or other. Nothing is more likely to upset a man's temper than to sit down to an untidy, ill-cooked meal. Let him find a neatly-laid cloth, with a good breakfast upon it, and what a difference it makes! He will go off to business with a light heart, and in a frame of mind fit to surmount any difficulties which he may have to contend with during the day.

It is quite possible for a breakfast to be all that I have said, and yet be very inexpensive. There are dozens of recipes for breakfast dishes which cost little more than the care and thought of the housekeeper. One is the following:

When there has been fresh hauled fish for dinner and pieces are left over, people are often at a loss to know what to do with them. They do not like the idea of their being wasted, and yet they are not very presentable. The ordinary method of serving up cold fish is to pour a little vinegar over it, with pepper and salt, and eat it as pickled fish; but a nice way to make it into fish cakes, "To do this, some cold potatoes will be required. If there are none in the house ready, it is quite worth while boiling a few for the purpose. Put the cods and ends of fish into a large basin, and carefully pick out all the bones and skin. Supposing there is half a pound of fish, add the same weight of potatoes, and about two ounces of butter, a well-beaten egg. Dip the cakes, one at a time, into the egg, then into the bread crumbs. Be careful to have every part of the cake covered. Fry them in plenty of boiling fat—good beef dripping, or pure lard is the best. When they are of a nice light brown color on one side, turn them over to brown the other side. Remove them from the frying pan with a fish-slice, and carefully drain off all the fat; they ought to be quite dry. Serve them on a very hot dish with a napkin spread over it. Five or six minutes will be required to cook them sufficiently.

Should the breakfast hour be very early, these cakes can be made the night before—all except the dipping in egg and bread crumbs—Aunt Clara, in Country Gentleman.

KID GLOVES.

When the Leather is Obtained and How the Gloves are Made.

The best skin for kid gloves, "Prudence" will find her careful inquiry, comes from middle and southeastern France. Fine seasons improve the quality of the skin greatly, as the animals are kept in the open air. In wet weather it is necessary to keep the kids housed. The confinement, if lengthy, causes heating, and produces fever spots on the skins. The animals on the Pyrenean mountains graze on the sides of the mountains, and are very healthy, and bring more or less wild, their coats being scratched by contact with bushes, briars, etc., and are not desirable. The pelt is taken from the animal is dried, and through series of baths, the hair and grease are removed and the skin is cleaned thoroughly. A most difficult stage of the business is tanning and coloring. The leather is dyed with a degree not yet attained by other nations. In order to afford to make the skin soft and flexible, it is fed with—actually absorbing up to a quantity of—a preparation of wheat flour and egg yolks. Subsequently the parts around the neck and shoulders, which are the most delicate, are shaved with a sharp knife to render it uniform in thickness throughout. The leather fully prepared is carefully examined for imperfections; perfect skins are retained, and the defective are sold at a discount. The leather is then cut into the shape of the glove, and the cutting of material for kid gloves can only be done by hand, each piece being carefully measured to allow the proper stretching space. The stamping which completes the glove is done by machinery, and is done by machinery rapidly, as three pairs are usually stamped at one time. From the cutter they pass to the embroiderer, thence to the sewer, then to the button-hole maker, afterward to the finisher, who binds the wrist and finally to the person whose business it is to pair and press them. The long unobtainable generally consumes the entire skin of one kid, and the waste is sold for tallow. Sizes for adults—six and one fourth to eight; thirteen different sizes for gentlemen—six and three fourths to nine; and for ladies the sizes are from four and a half to seven and a half, and for boys the sizes range from five and a half to seven and one fourth.—Boston Budget

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Rolling Prices at the Various Stores—Wheat and Coal.

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Wheat—No. 1, \$1.00; No. 2, \$0.90; No. 3, \$0.80; No. 4, \$0.70; No. 5, \$0.60; No. 6, \$0.50; No. 7, \$0.40; No. 8, \$0.30; No. 9, \$0.20; No. 10, \$0.10.

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Our vault was overloaded with Fine Watches, and after we sold during our sacrifice sale 500 Watches, gold and silver, we find that in that department alone we still have more than we want in

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Fresh golden butter, splendid coffees and teas, and oysters by the bulk or can at Peter Ullrich's grocery store.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Improves the looks of your hanging lamp and buy a decorated shade of E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

Court adjourned last evening until Monday forenoon.

The next play will be "A Mountain Pink" Wednesday night.

St. John is to speak at Bloomington next Tuesday night.

SENATOR FOSTER will go to St. Elmo Monday to bring Jim Williams to Decatur.

CALL up Niedermeyer on the Mound by telephone and order family groceries.

PAND NOLAN ruptured himself the other day while posting bills. Ben Dodson is now on duty in his place.

At Mr. Zion dealers pay \$4.25 for hogs; 31 and 33 cents for corn, and 25 1/2 cents for oats. These prices make trade decidedly brisk at this station.

SHOCK "Harper's Bazar." I. F. FROX & Co.

STORY at C. B. Prescott's music store in opera block and inspect those elegant Haines Bros. pianos, the finest you ever saw.

The Dan Sully comedy company appeared before a small audience last night and gave a very meritorious entertainment.

HAINES may entertain the boys at Springfield, but Bob Burdette will delight all who hear him Monday night.

ORRIZANS and the farmers generally are invited to call at Crosthwait Bros' restaurant, 114 Water street, and get a good dinner for 25 cents.

BURKE'S White Pine Balsam strengthens the voice. Invaluable for singers.

EVANSHIST POTTER has finished his revival labors at Peoria and is now at Chicago for a few days. He will reach Decatur about the 31st.

REYNOLDS' sugar cured hams, only 12 1/2 cents per pound, at John Zeller's meat market. Jan24-dtt

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Ten reserved seat prices to the Wilbur "Girole-Girole" comic opera will be but 75 cents, the lowest prices ever exacted for an operatic entertainment. Secure seats.

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This is the fifth season of the Wilbur Comic Opera company. The troupe will appear here next Thursday night in "Girole-Girole."

The great romantic drama, "Monte Cristo," will be given all next week at St. Louis. Jas. O'Neill is the star.

ANOTHER five inches of snow fell in this section up to 8 o'clock last evening. The temperature is much higher than on Thursday, and there is every indication at present of a general thaw and flow of melted snow and ice.

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"My dear, what would I give to have your hair?" is often said by middle-aged ladies to young ones. Madam, you may have just such hair. Parker's Hair Balsam will give it to you. It will stop your hair from falling off, restore the original color and make it long, thick, soft and glossy. You need not stand helplessly surveying the girl. The Balsam is not only not a dye, but is an elegant dressing, and is especially recommended for its cleanliness and purity. Jan19-dtt

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Progressive.

Push on, go ahead, press forward, advancing, undeviating, driving, impulsive, resolute, sleepless, tireless, dashing prompt pay, bold, skillful, constant, steady, patient, confident, modern, enterprising shoe store of L. L. Farniss & Co. Jan10-dtt

You can always find the Latest Styles and best Boots and Shoes at Bushner's. Jan19-dtt

104 WORTH BLANKETS at \$1.96 a pair at Linn & Sorenson. Dec 18-dtt

Hurt in a Wabash Wreck.

The Chicago express on the St. Louis branch of the Wabash road was partly wrecked below Mitchell at 9 o'clock last night, the cause being a broken rail. The engine, tender and express car left. The rails and turned over on their sides. The speed of the train at the time was fifteen miles an hour. Archie McNeill, the engineer, had a leg broken, near the ankle. He was brought to Decatur and removed to his home on East North street in a carriage. The fireman escaped unhurt. Express messenger Stewart, of this city, brother-in-law of Mr. Buckmaster, had a wrist badly sprained, and Frank Allen, of Chicago, baggage man, had his right arm broken. Allen had just stepped into the express to get a drink when the accident occurred. None of the passengers were injured. The wreck blocked the road, and delayed the arrival of all trains from St. Louis until after 1 o'clock this afternoon.

John Kneier, the Wabash engineer

hurt recently in the wreck at Milmine, is reported in a dangerous condition to-day. Erysipelas has set in.

The Council by its action last night

stopped the proposed proceedings in the county court on the street paving question, and now the enterprise is nearly as far in the dim distance as when the improvement was first suggested. However, the matter will be talked about and if possible the present council will select one route; and then when the new council comes in along in April, that body may take a notion to annul the whole business. It looks now as if it will be many moons or years before even one route is paved to the depot.

The Circuit Court.

The burglary and larceny case of The People vs. James Clark and Frank Sullivan is the pending case on trial in the circuit court. A jury was secured yesterday and the evidence was all presented. James Finn made an argument for the defendants, when Judge Smith ordered that court be declared adjourned until 10:30 o'clock Monday forenoon. The session, which has been in progress 32 days, will probably continue 10 days longer.

Ten eight school lots on North Union

street, between Marietta and King streets, have been sold. Will S. Warner paid \$570 for two lots; John Warner paid \$260 for one lot; John G. Auer paid \$320 for two lots; George M. Auer paid \$520 for two lots, and Frank Leforge paid \$260 for one lot, making a total of \$2110 for the eight lots.

The Judicial Election.

The people of this judicial district, composed of the nine counties of Vermilion, Mason, Douglas, Champaign, Coles, Edgar, Montrose, Piatt and Clark, will soon be called upon to elect three circuit judges. This election is one of great importance to the people of the district. Judge O. L. Davis, of Danville, Judge J. W. Wilkin, of Marshall, Judge C. B. Smith, of Champaign, present incumbents, will be candidates for re-election. They are all men of ripe experience and thoroughly acquainted with the practice of the district. They are dignified, painstaking, and popular with the bar, court officers and people, and there seems to be no necessity for a change.

Rev. C. S. Blackwell, the pastor of

the Central Church in St. Louis, will be here on Monday to assist the pastor of the Christian Church in a meeting of several days. Mr. Blackwell is one of the most eloquent preachers in the northwest. The public are invited to attend.

Last night the twenty-third marriage

anniversary Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shookery was very agreeably celebrated at their home No. 919 West Wood street. A fine supper was served at 8 o'clock. Among the guests were Captain and Mrs. W. E. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snarr, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown.

DUSTMAN & MYER, the Live Furni-

ture Dealers in Haworth Block, north side of City Park, have leased the room adjoining them, lately occupied by Miss Watson, and have connected the two rooms by an archway, making the handsome and most commodious furniture rooms in the city. They are both practical furniture men, well posted on styles and quality in their line of goods, and buying strictly for cash, are enabled to offer their stock at very low prices. Call and see their handsome rooms and their large and well-selected stock, and note their greatly reduced prices, and you can not fail in finding bargains. 22-43

A SAMPLER cake of the excellent crystal

ice now being harvested by Mr. T. L. A. L. Antrim ornaments the front of the REPUBLICAN office. Mr. Antrim will have a big supply for the summer.

Laura E. Denney's play

This play, supported by a powerful combination, will appear Wednesday evening next in "A Mountain Pink." The play is not like "Mistie" or "Ranch 10." It comes nearest in its purity of sentiment, logical sequence and vivid action, to "Davy Crockett," and yet it is in no sense suggestive of that play. The story is of life among the "Moonshiners" of Tennessee, and is full of good character, strong situations and telling climaxes. Thus with pure, forceful and correct text, it is easy to realize that "A Mountain Pink" is a good play. The first and second acts are strong contrasts between the "rascality" and "white trash" of the south. The third act is melodramatic, but not of the "Hal! hal! I will have your heart's blood" sort. The fourth act is a beautiful presentation of emotional situations, and the last act is heroic. Popular prices.

The Wilbur company of 30 people will

give Decatur lovers of music a fine treat Thursday evening next. The comic opera will be "Girole-Girole" in three acts. Reserved seats only 75 cents.

SCOTT MILLER, of this city, was the

hoos of the masquerade ball given at Monticello last night. The Decatur orchestra supplied the music. The manager cleared about \$50 on the affair after paying for the supper.

Remnants! Remnants!

In lengths of 5 to 12 or 15 yards, in Dress Goods; a variety of colors and qualities, at from 50 per yard upwards. We are willing to take Half Price for any that you may select. CHAS. BROWN. Jan23-dtt

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THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Aldermen Meet and Play with the Paving Question—The Improvement Delayed.

At the adjourned meeting of the city council last night there was a vast amount of talk about the paving of the two proposed routes to the depot. Mayor Lake and all the aldermen were present.

ANOTHER ESTIMATE OF COST OF PAVING.

The report of C. A. Tuttle and G. V. Loring of the special committee appointed to estimate cost of paving with brick of Route No. 2 to the depot was read:

Total cost East Main.....\$2,597 05

" North Water.....15,154 00

" East Corro Gordo.....15,242 83

Incidental expenses and cost of assessments, etc.....400 00

Grand total.....\$33,393 88

Cost of Route No. 1.....63,712 30

Total cost of both.....\$97,106 18

Ald. Wayne offered a resolution that proper proceedings be commenced in the county court to make the legal assessments.

Ald. Gogerty wanted to know what course the council would pursue in reference to sewerage and water drainage. It was his opinion that the city should first lay sewer pipes if it is the purpose to lay them in the streets.

Ald. Roberts suggested that probably the council was going too fast in preparing to pave two routes from the old square to the depot. He thought that but one route should be paved first and then let other streets be paved in order. Don't pile up too much expense at once, go slow and accomplish something. He was in favor of street paving generally, but he didn't favor any scheme that will kill all paving.

Ald. Shoemaker seconded the remarks of Roberts, and added that but one route should be built at once. He favored some route that would not bear down too heavily on the street railway companies. He thought it would be oppressive to them to require the outlay suggested by the estimate. And then he wanted to give Decatur made paving brick a trial. He believed Decatur brick as good as any made anywhere else. The alderman would be happy to see all the streets paved, but he thought the council should go slow.

Ald. Wayne remarked that he thought the council was traveling too fast, but believed that one route at least should be paved first; then let others follow.

Mayor Lake spoke at some length in favor of paving both routes as far as possible toward the depot. He said that the city was certain the city could pay its share. Go ahead and let the assessments be made. If the cost to the city is too great, then the council can retire and the whole enterprise would end. He intimated that some aldermen had manifested strange sympathy for the street railway, but they had none for the Citizens' company, whereupon both Shoemaker and Muzzy remarked that they had no more sympathy for one railway line than the other.

Ald. Starr spoke in favor of the Wayne resolution, that he might learn what the expense of paving both routes to the city will be, and then he would be in a position to act intelligently on the paving proposition.

Ald. Roberts offered a substitute for the Wayne resolution that the several paving ordinances adopted be referred to the council as a committee of the whole to select the best route to the depot. The substitute was not seconded.

Ald. Gogerty said that the council had already considered the matter thoroughly, and Ald. Wayne wanted to go ahead on the plan first arranged and not back out or indulge in child's play. The city would not bear the expense if it was too great. Ald. Muzzy said he was never known to back down, and that whatever the council decided to do he wanted it to stand up to the end. Ald. Gogerty suggested that the ordinance be referred to the public improvement committee to investigate the sewerage matter.

ADOPTED.

The vote on the Wayne resolution resulted—aye, Alexander, Oakes, Starr, Wayne and Lake; nays, Diehl, Roberts and Muzzy; Ald. Shoemaker's name was not called at first, and he did not vote on the question.

STAR'S MOTION.

Ald. Starr offered a resolution that the council reconsider action on both street paving ordinances, and that both be referred back to the council as a committee of the whole to select the most suitable route to the depot. Ald. Muzzy seconded the motion.

Ald. Gogerty suggested that the ordinances could not be repealed or reconsidered without an amendatory ordinance.

Mayor Lake remarked that it appeared that the aldermen did not seem to know what they wanted, and that unless they could agree the quicker they adjourned the better. The reconsideration of action already taken would place the council in a ridiculous position, and if the latest plan suggested prevailed it would make the aldermen the laughing stock of the town. Remarks were also made by Shoemaker, Muzzy and Gogerty, but as Starr did not put his motion in writing, a vote was not taken. Ald. Starr said he wanted it understood that he was in favor of the street paving—what he wanted was to get something done.

THAT BALKY HORSE.

Ald. Wayne suggested that a new horse be provided for the fire department in place of the balky one that is giving so much trouble. Ald. Shoemaker moved that the horse be sold and a new one purchased. Adopted.

ALL AT SEA AGAIN.

Ald. Starr offered a resolution in writing that the vote of Tuesday and Friday nights authorizing the city attorney to file a petition in the county court asking that proceedings be had for legal assessments on the two proposed routes to the depot be reconsidered. Seconded by Diehl.

Ald. Muzzy suggested that the acts of the special committees that made the assessments of cost of paving improvements amounted to nothing, because the ordinances were not a law for the reason that neither of them had been published.

They voted on the Starr resolution was as follows: Aye—Alexander, Diehl, Gogerty, Muzzy, Roberts, Starr and Wayne. Nay—Lake, Oakes and Shoemaker. Adopted.

On motion the council adjourned. It is understood that the aldermen will meet again Monday night as a committee of the whole to decide upon one route to be paved if they can.

Captured.

Yesterday Marshal Mason received a telegram from St. Elmo notifying him of the capture at that place of Jim Williams, who is indicted here for the burglary of a store at Prairie Home last fall. Ras. Peterson pleaded guilty to the same offense and Judge Smith gave him a year at Joliet. There is the same evidence against Williams and he will have to go up the road. Williams will be brought here for trial.

Gen. Moore Camp.

All members of Gen. Moore Camp, Sons of Veterans, are urged to be present at the meeting Monday evening next in G. A. R. hall. The newly elected officers will be installed. A full attendance is desired.

The Bank Officers.

The officers of the Decatur National Bank for the ensuing year are President, A. T. Hill; vice-president, D. S. Shellabarger; cashier, B. O. McReynolds; assistant cashier, Geo. W. Bright; directors, Messrs. Hill, Shellabarger, J. W. Haworth, D. W. Brennan, Geo. D. Haworth, N. A. White, J. M. Clotey, K. Harwood and K. H. Roby.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Hugh Cree, Esq., left for the east this afternoon.

Sheriff Foster had an invitation to witness the Chapman hanging at Charleston yesterday afternoon, but he did not attend.

Dr. W. A. Barnes arrived home last night from Georgia after an absence of several months. His wife and daughter will remain south until next summer.

F. F. Randolph is on duty at Shellabarger & Co's mill office as book-keeper in place of Will Shellabarger, who will depart on Tuesday next for New Orleans and other points in the south and west to be absent several weeks.

Senator Rogers got home from Springfield last night. He says the Republicans have been ready for business since the assembly convened, and that a vast amount of work would now be accomplished but for the silly wrangle of the democrats. The situation still remains a puzzle.

Near Danville this week a church caught fire from a defective fuse just as a funeral service was commenced with the house full of people. The church was entirely consumed; loss, \$3,000. The corpse was hastily removed and the funeral was held at the grave.

An effort was made to indict Wm. H. Burns for the attempted assassination of Orrin A. Carpenter. The grand jury refused to entertain the proposition, which if carried out would have involved numerous complications and awakened unpleasant memories in the great tragedy—Lincoln Journal.

Visitors' Night Meeting.

A large and appreciative audience attended the meeting of the High School Literary society last evening. The principal exercise of the evening was the debate on the Prohibition question, with Harry Wentz and Jua. Magee representing the prohibition side, and Ralph Templeton and Harry Dunstond the negative. The question was ably discussed by all parties and showed careful study and much thought. The judges decided in favor of Templeton and Dunstond. The rest of the programme was very well rendered. Mr. Gastman gave an interesting talk which was well received. The meeting was a success, and all who attended were well paid for their trouble. Our next public meeting will be held on February 20th.

Orders for Decatur coal taken at the

shaft or at Armstrong's drug store. Orders promptly filled. Terms cash. 17-dtt

Nor long ago Lutz & Wise had a

fine organ ruined in a wreck on the P. & E. road near Carmi. The firm give thanks to the company for the prompt payment of their claim in full. It was secured through the local agent, Mr. L. O. Hovey.

Pile Tumors

when neglected or improperly treated often degenerate into cancer. By our new and improved treatment without knife, cautery or salt, we cure the worst cases in ten to thirty days. Pamphlet, references and terms, three letter stamps World's Dispensary Medical Association, 603 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Scottish Bard.

The 12th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, the Scottish Bard, which will occur on Sunday, Jan. 25th, will be appropriately celebrated at the New Denning hotel in Decatur, on Monday evening, Jan. 25th, at 8 o'clock, and all Scotchmen and some of Scotchmen residing in this vicinity are invited to attend. A fine banquet will be spread, Scottish songs will be sung, and there will be a Scottish reel or two by way of variation. For further information confer with Daniel Robinson at the Decatur wagon factory; David Hutchinson, lawyer; Louis Mackenzie, 151 Prairie street, and James Dougherty, 1202 East Eldorado street, who will supply all with tickets to the banquet. 19-dtt-wtt

Horses Wanted.

We will at Keister & Trimmer's stables after Jan. 15, and will pay the highest market price in cash for horses and mares, in good condition, from 4 to 12 years old. E. S. RAYMOND. J. P. STOCKTON.

ALL wool Red Flannel Undershirts and

Drawers at 75c apiece at B. Shine's. Sent

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE

In the Schools of Decatur for the Week Ending Friday, Jan. 23, 1895.

No. Enrolled.	No. Days Absent.	No. Tardy.
HIGH SCHOOL.		

